

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Senator Bruce, James E.
Represented Cass and Shelby Counties, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 14 Apr 1860 Brooklyn, Iowa

2. Marriage (s) date place
Luella Voorhees Oct 1882 Cass County, Iowa

3. Significant events for example:
A. Business Never president of the Iowa West Savings Bank, Atlantic Iowa, Bank of Maime, Maime Iowa, Citizens Savings Bank, Ottumwa, Massena Savings Bank, Massena Iowa and First National Bank, Eureka Iowa and Harmon Supply Company of Ostry, Iowa
B. Civic responsibilities Mason; Elks Club; Knights of Pythias; I.O.O.F.; Workmen of America
C. Profession Banker, Lawyer

4. Church membership _____

5. Sessions served 30th, 31st, 32nd, 33rd General Assemblies 1904, 1906, 1907, 1909

6. Public Offices
A. Local Cass County Auditor 1881 for one term
B. State _____
C. National _____

7. Death _____

8. Children Arita, Edna V., Clarence Jr.

9. Names of parents John and Sarah (Brook) Bruce

Bruce, James E.

10. Education He was educated in the common schools of
Brooklyn, Iowa and vicinity

11. Degrees He graduated from the University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa
Law School in June 1881

12. Other applicable information Republican

- He moved to Anita, Iowa where he began practicing law
- In later years he devoted most of his time in banking and
general business affairs. He owned and controlled interest
in 5 banks.
- His father died 14 May 1863 as a result of wounds in the Civil War


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1910 United States Federal Census

Name:	James E Brua [James E Bruce]					
Age in 1910:	50					
Estimated birth year:	abt 1860					
Birthplace:	Iowa					
Relation to Head of House:	Head					
Father's Birth Place:	United States of America					
Mother's Birth Place:	United States of America					
Spouse's name:	Luella E					
Home in 1910:	Atlantic Ward 3, Cass, Iowa					
Marital Status:	Married					
Race:	White					
Gender:	Male					
Neighbors:						
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Source Citation: Year: 1910; Census Place: Atlantic Ward 3, Cass, Iowa; Roll: T624_395; Page: 19A; Enumeration District: 32; Image: 560.

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Description:

This database is an index to the head of households enumerated in the 1910 United States Federal Census, the Thirteenth Census of the United States. It indexed name is linked to actual images of the 1910 Federal Census. The information recorded in the census includes: name, relationship to head of family, birthday, sex, color or race, whether single, married, widowed, or divorced, birthplace, birthplace of father and mother, and more. [Learn more...](#)

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1900 United States Federal Census

Name:	James E Bruce										
Home in 1900:	Grant, Cass, Iowa										
Age:	40										
Estimated birth year:	abt 1860										
Birthplace:	Iowa										
Relationship to head-of-house:	Head										
Spouse's name:	Luella E										
Race:	White										
Occupation:											
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Description:

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